

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Notice of Intent to Adopt Regulations

In accordance with the provisions of Section 4-168(a) of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended, and pursuant to the authority prescribed in Sections 22-324 and 22-326s of the Connecticut General Statutes, notice is hereby given that the Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture intends to adopt regulations to implement the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes, Sections 22-324 and 22-326s.

Copies of the proposed regulations are available on the Department of Agriculture website (<http://www.ct.gov/doag/>) or may be obtained by making a request to Mr. Wayne Kasacek at the Department of Agriculture, 165 Capitol Ave. Rm. G8-A, Hartford, CT 06106

The Department of Agriculture will hold a public hearing on these proposed regulations on the following date and time:

Friday, February 9, 2007 at 10 am.

State Office Building Rm. 126
165 Capitol Ave.
Hartford, CT 06106

Persons appearing at the public hearing are requested to submit a written copy of their statement which should identify amendments to the proposed regulations, if any. Oral comments, however, will also be made part of the hearing record and are welcome.

Persons wishing to present their views regarding these regulations are invited to do so in writing within thirty (30) days following publication of this notice. Persons wishing to present their views regarding the proposed regulations may submit written comments to the Department of Agriculture, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut 06106, Attention: Wayne Kasacek, Assistant Director, Bureau of Regulation and Inspection.

Statement of purpose: The regulations are proposed to establish standards concerning the transportation and importation of live poultry and hatching eggs, and establish regulations to prevent the introduction of avian disease into Connecticut poultry flocks.
